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	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
Notice of Abandonment		, ,	
	10/771,774 Examiner	BARTH ET AL. Art Unit	
	- Examiner	A. Come	
	TAMTHOM N. TRUONG	1624	
The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address			
This application is abandoned in view of:			
<ol> <li>Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office         <ul> <li>(a) ☐ A reply was received on (with a Certificate of N period for reply (including a total extension of time of)</li> </ul> </li> </ol>	failing or Transmission dated month(s)) which expired on	·	
(b) A proposed reply was received on, but it does not constitute a proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 (a) to the final rejection.			
(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection consists only of: (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee); or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114).			
(c) A reply was received on but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).			
(d) No reply has been received.			
<ol> <li>Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).</li> <li>The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated</li> </ol>			
(a) I he issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was, which is after the expiration of the statutory per Allowance (PTOL-85).	eriod for payment of the issue fee (ar	ate of Mailing or Transmission dated and publication fee) set in the Notice of	
(b) ☐ The submitted fee of \$ is insufficient. A balance	e of \$ is due.		
The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$ The publication fee, if required by 37 CFR 1.18(d), is \$			
(c) ☐ The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has not been received.			
3. Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability (PTO-37).			
(a) Proposed corrected drawings were received on (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.			
(b) No corrected drawings have been received.			
4. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire interest, or all of the applicants.			
<ol> <li>The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an attorney or agent (acting in a representative capacity under 37 CFR 1.34(a)) upon the filing of a continuing application.</li> </ol>			
6. The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claim		e the period for seeking court review	
7. The reason(s) below:			
See Interview Summary Record.			
/James O. Wilson/	/Tamthom N. Truong/		
Supervisory Patent Examiner Art Unit 1624	Examiner, Art Unit 1624		
Petitions to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b), or requests to withdra	w the holding of abandonment under 37 (	CFR 1.181, should be promptly filed to	

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Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary Examiner	10/771,774	BARTH ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	TAMTHOM N. TRUONG	1624	
All Participants:	Status of Application:		
(1) <u>TAMTHOM N. TRUONG</u> .	(3)		
(2) <u>Suzanne Bates</u> .	(4)		
Date of Interview: 6 December 2007	Time: <u>11 am</u>		
Type of Interview:  ☐ Telephonic ☐ Video Conference ☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)  Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes, provide a brief description:			
Part I.			
Rejection(s) discussed:  N/A			
Claims discussed: N/A			
Prior art documents discussed: N/A			
Part II.			
SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:  No response was filed by Mr. Smolizza. The case was apparently transferred to Ms. Bates. However, there is no record of "Change of Power of Attorney" or "Change of Address".			
Part III.			
<ul> <li>□ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.</li> <li>□ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.</li> </ul>			
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